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Applicant: Du  
Serial No: 09/464,315  
Filed: 12/16/1999  
For: METHOD AND CIRCUIT FOR OPERATING A VOICE COIL ACTUATOR  
OF A MASS DATA STORAGE DEVICE

Docket No: TI-29436  
Examiner: Makhdoom  
Art Unit: 2123

EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

<p align="center"><b>CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that the following papers are being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at 703-872-9306 on <u>9/22-04</u>:</p> <p><i>Tommie Chambers</i> Tommie Chambers</p>
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month (\$110)	<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (\$890)
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (\$390)	<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (\$1,390)

Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees, or credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

Respectfully submitted,

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